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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Executive Pay Act.

- 1. At Mr. Dulles' request today, I telephoned Mr. Warren Irons who is acting for Mr. Philip Young, Chairman of the Civil Service Commission, during Mr. Young's absence from the City. I told him that Mr. Dulles was very interested in the Executive Pay Act and wanted to take appropriate action at the right time and place to insure that CIA's views were considered and to advise him that we stood ever ready to offer our assistance in the preparation of this Bill.
- 2. Mr. Irons advised me that he had discussed this matter with Mr. Young just prior to his departure on leave and that Mr. Young had felt that any action at this time would be very premature. He added that Mr. Young had tentatively decided that nothing should be done until about 1 October at which time the entire issue would be revived. I reiterated that at the appropriate time we wanted to insure that our views were considered and that we would be glad to be of any possible assistance in getting the proposed legislation through. Mr. Irons said that he appreciated my call and that he would certainly advise Mr. Young of Mr. Dulles' interest and position in this matter as soon as he returned to the City.

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